

1 HOUSE RESOLUTION

2 WHEREAS, The members of this Body are honored to
3 recognize significant milestones in the lives of the people
4 of this State; and

5 WHEREAS, It has come to our attention that Mary Rita Kane
6 McGuire of Champaign, Illinois is celebrating the 80th
7 anniversary of her birth; and

8 WHEREAS, Mary Rita Kane was born on June 5 1921, in
9 Livingston County, Illinois, to John and Eileen Kane; and

10 WHEREAS, Mary Rita Kane McGuire attended rural schools
11 and graduated from Chatsworth High School; she attended
12 Illinois State Normal University from 1938 to 1940 and from
13 1948 through 1950, when she received her degree in Special
14 Education; she received her master's degree from the
15 University of Illinois at Champaign in 1964; and

16 WHEREAS, Mary Rita Kane McGuire taught speech correction
17 in DeWitt County schools from 1950 to 1955; in addition she
18 taught elementary school from 1955 through 1980 at Westview
19 in Champaign; and

20 WHEREAS, Mary Rita Kane married Joseph McGuire in 1943;
21 they are the proud parents of Kathleen (husband, Richard),
22 and the proud grandparents of Julie (husband, Mike), and
23 great grandparents of Daniel Patrick; and

24 WHEREAS, Mary Rita Kane McGuire is a member of the
25 Provena Covenant Hospital Auxiliary, and has served as a
26 hospital volunteer; in addition she serves as a member of the
27 Illinois and Champaign County Retired Teachers Associations,
28 as past president of the Illinois Women's Club of
29 Champaign-Urbana, and as a member of St. Matthew's Catholic
30 Church in Champaign; she also serves as an election judge and
31 enjoys participating in several bridge clubs; and

1 WHEREAS, The family, friends, and former students of Mary
2 Rita Kane McGuire would like to congratulate her on the
3 celebration of her 80th birthday; therefore, be it

4 RESOLVED, BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE
5 NINETY-SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS, that
6 we congratulate Mary Rita Kane McGuire on the occasion of her
7 80th birthday and extend to her our sincere best wishes for
8 the future; and be it further

9 RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be
10 presented to Mary Rita Kane McGuire as an expression of our
11 respect and esteem.